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In response to the Office Action mailed August 23, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the claims in view of the following amendments and comments.

A Petition for Extension of Time begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Applicants hereby request that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by one month pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$60.00 small entity fee to Deposit Account No. 501249.